



Recreation Autumn 2019

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September through December 2019

Weekly Activities:



Bowling at Thomaston Lanes in Thomaston, CT

Monthly Activities:

September: Bingo

October, November & December: Bingo / Games / Craft / Lunch - Movie

Special Events:



Yankee Candle &



Magic Wings



Christmas Tree Shoppes



Norwalk Aquarium



Pumpkintown



Go-Kart Racing



Big E



CT Trolley Museum



Thomaston Opera House



Newport Christmas Mansions



Warner Theatre



Aerodrome Airplane Show



Renaissance Faire



Drive through holiday light display



Halloween Party



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REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Wednesday August 28,2019 for all trips and activities in the Fall Brochure

To Register:

- **Email:** rpedone@litchfieldarc.org
- **Phone:** 860-489-2140 ext. 202 – leave message with your name / phone number and activities that you are interested in
- **Mail:** LARC, 314 Main Street, Torrington CT 06790 Attn: Robin Pedone (slowest)

Send in your choices early! Do not send in money before confirmation, it will be returned.

All confirmations will be mailed by September 4, 2019.

Name: _____ Today's Date: _____

Mailing address: _____

Home or Cell Phone number or email address will be used only for weather issues or specific trip information

Phone Number: _____ Cell phone: _____

Email address: _____

Trips: Please indicate your first choice and alternative - sometimes I will confirm for both trips.

1st Choice: _____ Alternate Choice: _____

The following activities are separate from the trips. Please mark the dates you would like to participate.

Monthly Activities:

Bingo - Wednesday

_____ September 11 _____ October 9 _____ November 13 _____ December 11

Games - Friday

_____ October 11 _____ November 8 _____ December 13

Crafts - Saturday

_____ October 12 _____ November 9 _____ December 14

Lunch bunch - Saturday

_____ October 12 _____ November 9 _____ December 14

Movie group - Saturday

_____ October 12 _____ November 9 _____ December 14



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MONTHLY ACTIVITIES

Monthly activities all are held at 923 Migeon Avenue and are accessible

BINGO: Monthly on Wednesday evenings

Cost: \$ 10.00 each session

- Dates: Sept 11 – Oct 9 – Nov 13 – Dec 11
- Time: 6:15pm to 7:45pm
- Enjoy multiple games of bingo with friends! Everyone wins.
- Refreshments

GAMES: Monthly on Friday evenings

Cost: \$ 5.00 each session

- Dates: no games night in September – Oct 11 – Nov 8 – Dec 13
- Time: 6:15pm to 7:45pm
- Many table games are available to play
- Refreshments.

Craft Group: Monthly on Saturday

Cost: \$10.00 each session

- Dates: no craft in September - Oct 12 – Nov 9 – Dec 14
- Time: 10:00 to 11:30
- Each session two seasonal completed crafts to take home (bring a bag to transport them)

LUNCH BUNCH: Monthly on Saturday

Cost: \$5.00 each session

- Dates: no lunch in September - Oct 12 – Nov 9 – Dec 14
- Time: 11:30am – 1:00pm
- Bring your own lunch

MOVIE: on Saturday afternoon

Cost: \$10.00 each session

- Dates: October 12: "Winnie the Pooh"
November 9: "Christopher Robin"
December 14: "Santa Claus 2"
- Time: 1:00pm to 3:00pm
- Refreshments are served twice: popcorn and soda are the favorite – always available alternate drink and applesauce

SPECIAL DATES

Monday, Sept. 2 – Labor Day, LARC offices & programs closed

Monday, October 14 – Columbus Day

Sunday, Nov. 3, turn clocks back Tuesday, Nov. 5- Election Day

Monday, Nov. 11 – Veteran's Day Thursday, Nov. 28 – Thanksgiving

Friday, Nov. 29 LARC offices & programs closed

Sunday, December 22 – Hanukkah begins

Wednesday, December 25 - Christmas



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ACTIVITIES BY DATE

ALL TRIPS MEET AT LARC 923 MIGEON AVENUE

Costs include: transportation / admission / refreshments / meal when applicable.



Tuesday September 17, 2019 Time: 9:00am to 5:30pm Cost: \$80.00 not accessible

A huge fair – baby chicks /family of piglets / sheep / vegetables / dog show / horse show / avenue of New England state buildings / Grange building to buy jellies or pumpkin butter / Big E souvenirs – Camel show - lumber jack show - Bring money to purchase souvenirs – bring a bag to carry your purchases. Your choice of lunch while watching a performance at the Court of Honor stage.

*Winsted area residents can meet at the park n' ride in Barkhamsted for drop off and pick up.



Saturday September 21, 2019 Time: 11:00am to 6:00pm Cost: \$70.00 not accessible

Travel to the Aerodrome in Old Rhinebeck, NY – We will watch the bi-plane rides while having our lunch. The History of Flight Air Show starts at 2:30pm. This is a living museum of bi-planes / fighters / tri-planes housed in 3 huge buildings with over 60 planes that we can look at. Bring your lunch – I will buy drinks for lunch and during the show. Bring money for a souvenir.



Sunday September 22, 2019 Time: 1:15pm to 5:45pm Cost: \$48.00 accessible

Thomaston Opera House to see "In the Heights" a musical exploring three days in New York City in a Latino neighborhood. Music features hip-hop / salsa / and soul. Water will be provided



Tuesday September 24, 2019 Time: 9:00am to 5:30pm Cost: 80.00 not accessible

A huge fair – baby chicks / family of piglets / sheep / vegetables / dog show / horse show / avenue of New England state buildings / Grange building to buy jellies or pumpkin butter / Big E souvenirs – camel show – lumberjack show – bring money to purchase souvenirs – bring a bag to carry your purchases. Your choice of a lunch while watching a performance at the Court of Honor Stage.

*Winsted area residents can meet at the park n' ride in Barkhamsted for drop off and pick up.



Saturday September 28, 2019 Time: 9:30am to 3:30pm Cost: \$37.00 not accessible

Take a 3-mile round trip ride on a variety of restored trolley cars. We will go inside to the museum to visit a caboose, dining car and buy a souvenir. Bring money for a souvenir. Lunch will be at Burger King right up the road. While waiting for the next trolley, we can sit inside the theatre and watch old movies showing where the trolley was used in the cities. *Winsted area residents can meet at the park n' ride in Barkhamsted for drop off and pick up.



Sunday September 29, 2019 time: 9:15am to 7:15pm Cost: \$85.00 not accessible

Renaissance Faire in Lebanon, CT – see many shows with sword fighting / singing / jousting / birds of prey / aerial show and more. Lunch will be your choice at the Faire. Bring money for a souvenir



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Saturday October 5, 2019 Time: 9:00am to 2:30pm Cost: \$52.00 accessible

To Paul and Sandy's Garden Nursery to visit the pumpkinheads where they work and play. Take a stroll through Pumpkintown Village and then a mile-long hay wagon ride through the woods to see more "pumpkinhead" people in their woodland dwellings. We will also try our luck at the sling-a-ding game. If there is time, we'll have an apple cider donut with cider to drink. Lunch will be at Burger King on way home. Bring about \$8.50 for a painted small pumpkin to take home.



Sunday October 6, 2019 Time: 8:30am to 3:15pm Cost: \$74.00 not accessible

To Yankee Candle to look at and shop for candles –the best is the samplers - can give them away for presents. After the purchases, travel a couple of miles north to Magic Wings for your choice of lunch and a walk around the conservatory to see the many different varieties of butterflies. In the front room are many aquariums with frogs, and insects.



Sunday October 13, 2019 Time: 9:00am to 3:00pm Cost: \$50.00 accessible

A Sunday traveling to Manchester, CT – shopping at Christmas Tree Shop and then lunch at Red Robin restaurant. They have over 20 different varieties of hamburgers (extras – cheese / lettuce / tomatoes and other items to place on a hamburger / bottomless fries and drinks.



Saturday October 26, 2019 Time: 8:30am to 4:30pm Cost: \$65.00 not accessible

2019 Karting event at the ON Track Karting facility at Foxwoods Resort Casino. We will cheer on Tyler Rae's team (he participates in LARC Special Olympics in Alpine Skiing and Track) - Watch the ABC Supply team travel around the Go Kart Track at Foxwoods Casino. Your own choice of lunch in the food court. I will also purchase drinks during the race.



Sunday November 3, 2019 Time: 9:00am to 4:00pm Cost: \$81.00 accessible

Travel to Norwalk Maritime Center – many varieties of fish / touch the rays / touch jelly fish / see the seal show / see the tiger sharks / river otters / and even a monkey. Your choice for lunch in their cafeteria – bring money for souvenir.



Sunday November 10, 2019 Time: 1:30pm to 5:00pm Cost: \$38.00

A Sunday afternoon at the Warner Theatre to see "Something Rotten", a musical about two brothers who set out to write the world's first musical in this hilarious mash-up of sixteenth-century Shakespeare and twenty first-century Broadway. Drop offs and pickups at Warner Theatre. Nothing is needed.



Monday December 2, 2019 Time: 4:30pm to 8:30pm Cost: \$35.00 accessible

An evening drive to East Hartford to see "Lights Fantasia": reindeer jumping over the car, a huge train, penguins sliding down ice houses, a huge lit castle, a New England Patriots tunnel of lights (Red, White and blue). No money is needed

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 Tuesday December 10, 2019 Time: 2:00pm to 10:00pm Cost: \$57.00 not accessible
 An evening for a little shopping at Holyoke Mall in Holyoke Mass. We will visit Christmas Tree Shop and Hobby and Lobby stores and dinner will be at Denny's up the road, your choice of dinner. Travel to Springfield, MA to Forest Court to drive through Bright Nights. I will drive people home or the Winsted residents to meet in Barkhamsted at park n' ride.

 Sunday December 15, 2019 Time: 6:15am to 9:00pm Cost: \$185.00 not accessible
 Travel with Ed Advance to Newport, Rhode Island to visit two mansions, the Marbles and the Breakers decorated for the holidays. Between the two a stop at Atlantic Resort for a Sunday brunch. Bring money for purchases in each mansion. Bring a lunch that can be eaten on your lap on the way home. I will purchase drinks before we leave Newport.

Special Olympics Sports



Special Olympics Bowling Team

Please send in the information and check by Sept 3, 2019 (see form on next page)

Competition for Bowling:

Bowler in Milford either Saturday November 23, 2019 or Sunday November 24, 2019 .



Special Olympics Powerlifting Team

Anyone interested (including returning athletes), please contact Robin at 850-489-2140 ext 202, by August 21, 2019

Starts Tuesdays in September / Practices: Northwest YMCA in Torrington.

Competition for Powerlifting

Sunday November 24th at Gleason Performance Center, Derby



SPECIAL OLYMPICS WINTER GAMES

Practices for all start January 2019

LARC Special Olympics sponsors:

Alpine ski team (can rent skis / poles and boots)

Practices at Mohawk on Monday evenings

Cross Country Ski Team –Snowshoeing Team

Practices for Cross country skiing and snowshoeing on Saturday mornings At Camp MOE

Need own equipment for Cross Country skiing and Snow shoeing

All interested (including returning athletes)

please contact Robin by October 25, 2018 at: 860-489-2140 ext 202

with your name and phone number



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To all Bowlers:

The Fall bowling League will run for 10 weeks from Monday, September 9, 2019 to Monday November 18, 2019
(no bowling on Monday October 28, 2019)

Time: 5:00pm to 6:15pm

The Special Olympic Bowling league has the same schedule.

Cost: \$6.00 per week x 10 weeks = \$60.00

Please send in the bottom section with the check (*payable to Thomaston Lanes*) or cash by Tuesday September 3, 2019

Receipts will be given out on the first day.

Any questions, please contact Robin at 860-489-2140 ext 202

TRANSPORTATION: Limited to 12 seats

Cost: \$20.00 (\$2.00 per week x 10 weeks) separate check payable to: LARC Recreation

Van leaves 923 Migeon Avenue at 4:20pm and returns to Migeon Avenue at 6:50pm

Return the bottom portion and send in by September 3, 2019 along with full payment. Please pay on time.

Address: Robin Pedone – LARC – 314 Main St, Torrington, CT 06790 or bring to Main office and ask to place in safe.

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LARC Recreation – Thomaston bowling

Attention: Robin Pedone - Recreation

Name(s): _____

Phone or email to use if the bowling is cancelled due to weather:

_____ **\$60.00 check – payable to Thomaston Lanes or cash included**

Circle: yes / no **Transportation to and from 923 Migeon Avenue**

_____ **\$20.00 separate check – payable to LARC Recreation or cash for transportation**



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